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**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Kristina Gold Confirmation No.: 3244
Serial No.: 10/593,997 Group Art Unit: 2821
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DEVICE

Date: April 23, 2009

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## NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Sir:

Pursuant to 35 USC § 134, 37 CFR § 41.31, and MPEP § 1205, the Applicant in the above-identified patent application hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Office Action dated March 9, 2009 finally rejecting Claims 9-20.

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